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Gray Davis
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March 5, 2003

Dear Sir or Madam:

The staff of the Air Resources Board (ARB) will hold a public workshop on April 10, 2003 to discuss the ARB's regulatory and non-regulatory fuel activities for 2003. This will be the second meeting for this year's fuels regulatory and non-regulatory activities.

The time and place of the public workshop will be:

Date: April 10, 2003
Time: 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Location: California Environmental Protection Agency
1001 "I" Street, 2nd Floor
Coastal Hearing Room
Sacramento, California 95814

An agenda of the workshop is attached for your information.

The meeting place is accessible to persons with disabilities. If accommodation is needed, please call Mr. Valentine Montoya at (916) 327-1493 by March 27, 2003. Persons with hearing or speech impairments can contact us by using our Telephone Device for the DEAF (TDD) at (916) 324-9531, or (800) 700-8326 for TDD calls from outside the Sacramento area.

In addition, this workshop will be web-cast. You may access the web-cast at ARB's homepage, <http://www.arb.ca.gov>. To participate by teleconference, dial **1-888-795-2173** and give the participant code: **Fuels**, and leader name: **Sue Wyman**.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our Website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.

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If you have questions about the meeting, please call Mr. Steve Brisby, Manager, Fuels Section, at (916) 322-6019.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dean C. Simeroth". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "D" and "S".

Dean C. Simeroth, Chief
Criteria Pollutants Branch

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Steve Brisby, Manager
Fuels Section

Air Resources Board

**Public Workshop on Regulatory and Non-Regulatory
Fuels Activities for 2003**

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AGENDA

1. Introductions
2. Topics of Discussion*
 - Amendments to the California Diesel Fuel Regulations
 - ✓ 15-ppmw Sulfur Limit
 - ✓ Lubricity Specification
 - ✓ Procedures for Certifying Alternative Diesel Fuel Formulations
 - ✓ Flexibility Issues
 - ✓ Diesel Fuel Deposit Control Additives
 - Diesel Engine Lubricating Oil Specifications
 - Fuel Properties for Diesel Engine Certification Testing
 - Further Follow-up Amendments to the CaRFG3 Regulations
 - Requirements for Clean Fuels Outlets
3. Presentations by Others*
4. Open Discussions*
5. Closing Remarks

* Presentations by others and open discussions will also be held after related agenda items.